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Lana Radosh at the piano with daughters, from left, Angela, Tammy and Annette Niswonger and Terena Radosh. Santa's helper is Jake Ward.

Former local woman writes song:

A Santa Claus adventure

By Jennifer Florian
Staff writer

What would Santa do if his sled broke in two?

Former Granite City resident Lana Radosh wants to know.

Radosh, 44, of Fenton, wrote a Christmas song when she was 17 years old called "It's Time For Santa." Last year, she produced it and is spending this holiday season trying to promote it.

Her catchy Christmas tune raises the question of what Santa would do if an accident happened

and he couldn't deliver his load of toys.

Radosh, who thought up the verse for the song while decorating a Christmas tree in her home in Granite City, said writing songs just comes naturally.

"The lyrics and themes are in my head," she said. "I never read music. I play everything by ear. When something comes to my head, it stays there."

Radosh, who said she has never taken a formal music lesson, can play the clarinet, piano and saxophone. Her ability to play a

variety of instruments on a whim may have something to do with genetics.

Her father and his brothers formerly owned a music store in St. Louis. Her mother, she said, helped to instill an interest in music.

"She practically forced us to sign up for an instrument and bring it home," she said. Radosh said she took singing lessons for only three days and quit after becoming frustrated.

"I just wanted to be on my (See SONG, Page 10A)

City hall plan gets final OK Madison will buy building

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

The Madison City Council voted at a special meeting Wednesday to go ahead with the purchase of a new city hall despite potential roof problems.

After meeting in executive session, the council voted 6-3 to finalize the purchase of the Lahey-Sedlak Funeral Home building at 615 Madison Ave. Voting against the purchase were Aldermen Eleanor Armour and Norris Horton.

Both have been critical of plans to move the city hall.

Finance Committee Chairman John Hamm said the council wanted to go ahead with the purchase and then try to work with present owner Bob Thomas of Granite City to repair the roof.

At its last regular meeting, the board authorized City Attorney Casper Nighossian to renegotiate the purchase of the funeral home.

The action was taken after the council met in executive session with real

estate agent Janet Partney.

City officials said that an inspection of the building ordered in November showed several problems, including the roof. Hamm said officials were unsure exactly how extensive the required repairs will be.

In October, the council approved the purchase of the building. The cost was set at \$120,000, with renovations expected to bring the total cost to \$300,000-400,000.

The purchase price remains the same.

City officials plan to move both the city hall and police station.

Part of the cost of renovation — work required to comply with the Americans With Disabilities Act — would be paid with a \$107,000 grant from Madison County Community Development.

That grant was originally to be used to install an elevator at the present city hall, located at 1529 Third St. The elevator would have made the council

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Ambulance, trash questions go on ballot

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

Referendums on single-service trash collection and a tax for ambulance service will be among the decisions Pontoon Beach voters will probably be facing in the March 19 primary election.

The Village Board Wednesday voted to place both on the primary ballot.

The trash collection question will be advisory, but the ambulance service referendum will include a provision for levying a tax of 25 cents per \$100

assessed value.

If the plan is approved, the owner of a \$60,000 home would pay approximately \$50 more per year in property taxes.

However, if a plan to create an ambulance district in the Long Lake and Mitchell fire protection districts is also on the ballot, the Pontoon Beach measure may be dropped.

The Long Lake and Mitchell fire protection districts — along with Pontoon Beach, and Nameoki and Chouteau townships recently formed

(See BALLOT, Page 10A)

Mobile home park gets conditional license

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

A conditional business license was approved for the Village Green Mobile Home Park in Pontoon Beach at a recessed board meeting Wednesday.

Final action on the license will be taken after village officials have a chance to look over Madison County grand jury minutes.

On Tuesday, the Pontoon Beach Village Board voted to recess the meeting until Wednesday to give Village Attorney Keith Jensen an opportunity review the case. Jensen recommended delaying final action Wednesday because he said he needed to review police and grand jury minutes "that might be relevant."

He said the grand jury minutes have not been transcribed yet. Attorney Jack Humes, who represents the park, then asked what the board was going to do about pending occupancy permits.

After a short executive session, the board approved a conditional license that must be renewed every 30 days. It also stipulated occupancy permits would be granted only for mobile

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Sports spotlight



'Bear foot' — Fred Shafer looks out of the window of one of his five 'Bear Foot' monster trucks. Shafer built and drives the monster truck and has won several world championships. See his story in Sports, Page 1B.

(Staff photo by JOHN FRESSE)

Aldermen upset with Charter

By Bob Slate
Staff writer

Officials of Charter Communications cable television company are eager to renegotiate a franchise agreement with the city of Granite City.

But city officials say they want some significant improvements in the current cable service before they begin work on a new contract.

"Before we set up any negotiations on a contract, we have to get some serious problems straightened out," said Alderman Eddie Asadorian, chairman of the City Council's Cable Television Committee.

The existing franchise agreement between Charter and the city is set to expire in July.

Asadorian said the city may consider seeking bids from other cable providers if Charter fails to satisfactorily address city concerns.

Poor reception of some channels and apparent violations of the existing contract were among the topics discussed by the committee Wednesday night.

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John Fuller, Chief Meteorologist, KSDK-NewsChannel 5

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
49 34	42 30	39 31	43 29

Committee seeks input

In conjunction with the city's Centennial celebration next year, kick-off committee chairman Leo Konzen will present a keepsake afghan to the city.

The custom-woven afghan will feature landmarks of the city's history. The design is limited to about a dozen items to be

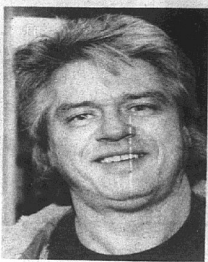
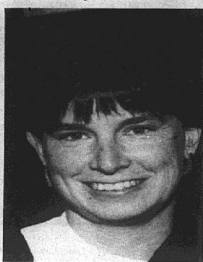
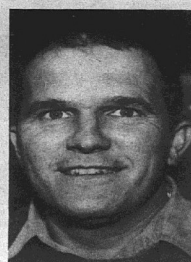
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By JOHN FRESE

THE VOICE BOX:

With less than two weeks left until Christmas, have you finished buying gifts yet?

Dianne Robbins, Granite City
"No, I haven't."Jack Wettergreen, Granite City
"Oh, no."Phyllis Anderson, Granite City
"Oh, yes I have. I started
buying gifts in August."Tom Stewart, Granite City
"No sir, not yet."

Man is robbed at gunpoint

By Bob Slate
Staff writer

Police have few leads in a reported armed robbery on the parking lot of Shop N' Save Tuesday morning.

"We're checking with St. Louis-area police departments to see if they have had any similar reports. But so far, we haven't heard anything," said Capt. Roy Koberna of the Granite City police department.

A 30-year-old Granite City man told police his wallet was taken at gunpoint Tuesday at about 11 a.m. Tuesday by a man who had asked him for help with a stalled car on the parking lot of Shop N' Save, #1 Nameoki Village Shopping Center.

The victim told police the suspect approached him on the

grocery store parking lot and asked for help with the suspect's car. As the two were walking toward a green older-model Oldsmobile, the suspect asked for the victim's wallet, the victim reported.

At first, the victim laughed at the suspect, he said. But the suspect then pulled out a small chrome handgun and demanded the wallet again.

The suspect then got in the Oldsmobile and a woman drove the car away, the victim said.

The suspect was described as about five-feet 10-inches tall, weighing about 160 pounds, having dark hair and wearing a gray coat, jeans and white tennis shoes.

The Oldsmobile had a Missouri license plate, the victim said.

Anyone with information is encouraged to call Granite City police at 876-9027.

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Nominations for Best Bet can come from any community in the Granite City coverage area, including Madison, Venice, Pontoon Beach, Mitchell and Brooklyn.

To vote, call 344-2340 before 5 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 21. You will be asked to leave a recorded vote.

Please include the name of the person you think is the best kindergarten teacher, as well as his or her hometown and the school at which he or she teaches. After you've voted, hang up and your vote will be recorded.

The winner will be announced in the Dec. 28 edition of the Press-Record.

In last month's Best Bet contest, for best elected official, County Auditor Fred Bathon of Pontoon Beach took top honors.

Thieves take Haine's car

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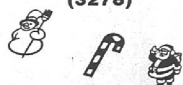
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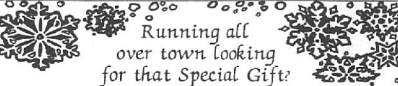
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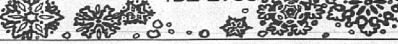
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By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

Committee members are Harold Wilson, John Ervin and Henry Fletcher.

— **Tyrone Echols**
Venice mayor

He added that disciplinary actions are handled by the committee or bridge manager Tyrone Echols Jr., the mayor's

The younger Echols could not be reached for comment.

(Staff photo by BOB SLATE)

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Elected officials who participated in the Christmas For Kids day sponsored by Granite City Township Democratic Precinct Committeemen are, from left, State Sen. James Clayborne, rear, State Rep. Tom Holbrook, Alderman Foster Frederick, Mayor Ron Selph, Township Assessor Darlene Laub, Alderman Mac Warfield, Street Superintendent Jerry Lakin, County Clerk Debbie Saltich, Associate Judge Lawrence Keshner and State Rep. Steve Davis.

500 enjoy holiday party

"It was a good way to kick off the Christmas season," said Mayor Ron Selph.

Several other elected officials from the area participated in the give-away, including State Sen. James Clayborne, State Reps. Steve Davis and Tom Holbrook, County Clerk Debbie Saltich, Street Superintendent Jerry Lakin, Township Assessor Darlene Laub, Aldermen Mac Warfield and Foster Frederick, Associate Judge Lawrence Keshner, Madison County Board member Frank Laub and many precinct committeemen.

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a group of three children if he could take their pictures Thursday morning.

According to reports, at about 9:30 a.m. Venice police received a call from school officials.

A teacher reported that a seven-year-old boy told her the man had asked if he could take the child's picture near the east side of the school.

In another case, a boy walking with two younger

cousins to school reported a man fitting that description following them in an alley near the 1000 block of College.

The boy and one of his cousins left; the remaining girl

said she was too scared to move. The man then took her picture, but the girl reported that the camera did not make

School officials could not be reached for comment.

Christmas tree drop-off site

drop-off site

The Granite City Park District will be accepting Christmas trees from November 15 to November 22, 1997. The drop-off site is located at the Granite City Park District, 1000 S. Main St., Granite City, MO 64450. The drop-off site is open from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on weekdays and 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on weekends. The drop-off site is open to the public. The drop-off site is open to the public. The drop-off site is open to the public.

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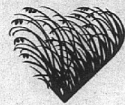
Big Brothers to sponsor bowling benefit for youngsters

Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Southwestern Illinois will hold its 15th annual Bowl For Kids' Sake at Bel-Air on Feb. 17 and at St. Clair Bowl on Feb. 17 and 18. A midnight bowl will be held on Friday, March 1, at St. Clair Bowl. Bowl For Kids Sake is an event that raises funds to support Big Brothers/Big Sisters services in St. Clair and Madison counties. Participants will enjoy two free games of bowling, free shoes, door prizes and free pizza. For more information about Bowl For Kids Sake call Jennifer at 398-3162.

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Bill to limit school waivers

House Speaker Lee Daniels will seek changes next year in a controversial law allowing school districts to seek waivers from state laws and regulations.

Daniels this week filed a "shell bill" — a bill with a title but no content — that will eventually be used as a vehicle

for changes, his spokesman, Mike Cys, said.

"One of the changes that is being discussed is if the Legislature has already rejected a waiver request, such as reinstating corporal punishment, then it can't come back again for a certain number of years," Cys said.

He said changes may also be considered to specify areas of state school law that are immune from waiver requests.

The current law, passed in January, gave districts virtually unlimited ability to seek waivers, except for collective bargaining and tenure matters.

If the request involves only State Board of Education regulations rather than law, the state superintendent can approve or reject the request. Otherwise, it is sent on to the Legislature, where a resolution must pass both chambers to reject or modify the request. If no resolution is passed, the waivers automatically take effect.

Lawmakers considered about 60 requests in November but rejected only those dealing with corporal punishment, accountability or quality review requirements, fire sprinkler systems and consolidation of schools.

The Wood River-Hartford district was the only one in this area submitting a waiver request, which sought to drop paperwork requirements of the quality review process.

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Milestones

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Doug Parks celebrates his 25th birthday today, Dec. 17.

Nicole Diane Bailey will celebrate her 17th birthday Dec. 18.

Dawn Marie Staggs will celebrate her 15th birthday Dec. 19.

Alexander J.N. Siedhoff will celebrate his second birthday Dec. 19.

Jimmy Joe Turner will celebrate his 11th birthday Dec. 19.

Laura Marshall will celebrate her 13th birthday Dec. 20.

Yoshiko Thomas will celebrate her birthday Dec. 20.

Tin and Amy Robbins will celebrate their fifth wedding anniversary Dec. 21.

Jennifer Smiddy will celebrate her 12th birthday Dec. 21.

Debbie Marshall will celebrate her 37th birthday Dec. 21.

John Sannes will celebrate his 56th birthday Dec. 21.

Doyle Pinnon will celebrate his 37th birthday Dec. 22.

Anthony Joseph "Tony" Turner Jr. will celebrate his 19th birthday Dec. 22.

Loretta "Sis" Redfern will celebrate her 57th birthday Dec. 23.

Rita Rice will celebrate her birthday Dec. 23.

For a mention in the milestones listings, send a postcard with the person's name, date of celebration and telephone number to: MILESTONES, Granite City Press-Record/Journal, 1815 Delmar Ave., Granite City, Ill. 62040.

Notices MUST be submitted on a postcard at least one week in advance.

•Celebration— (Continued from Page 1A)

featured. The committee has identified 13 city landmarks, but is seeking suggestions to ensure no important facet of the city is omitted.

The 13 areas selected by the committee are Six Mile House, City Hall, St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Wilson Park, Granite City High School, Lock and Dam 27, Tri-City Area YMCA, the public library, Granite City Steel, Lincoln Place Community Center, the Niedringhaus brothers, the Granite City Press-Record and the old Armenian church in Lincoln Place.

SEAMC and the park district will be celebrating their 75th anniversaries next year.

The Press-Record will be in its 100th year.

Anyone with suggestions should send them to: Centennial Kick-off Committee, P.O. Box 501, Granite City, Ill. 62040.

Because the final selection will be made on Dec. 28, suggestions must be received soon.

The committee consists of Rosemarie Brown, Pat Konzen, Sharon Parker and Marie Robertson.

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As for de-icing, ordinary salt is great, but it can be very harmful to lawns and other vegetation. Use a product that's safe for vegetation such as Safe-Step. It does just as good a job on the ice, and your lawn won't suffer any damage.

Remove any stray leaves that have found their way to your lawn before they pack down and freeze. This can suffocate undergrowth.

Check stakes and wires on any newly-planted trees in addition to keeping the tree straight, stakes and wires help protect it against freezing and thawing damage.

After a heavy snowfall, wrap the trunks of fruit and young trees with tree wrap or place wire fencing around them. This will discourage mice and voles from chewing the bark if other food sources become scarce.

When the ground is stiff with frost, mulch heavily under evergreens, especially broadleaves. With mulch, the soil will retain more moisture and frost won't penetrate as deeply. Roots will then be better able to supply foliage with moisture during spells of warm winter temperatures. Broadleaf evergreens, especially those in exposed areas, are usually victims of drying winter wind burn. This can rob foliage of more moisture than roots can absorb from frozen soil. Use burlap coverings and windscreens or anti-desiccant sprays to block drying winds.

Another post-snowfall activity besides building a

snowman or tobogganing, preferably before, is to jar excessive snow loads from the branches of shrubs. Then carefully lift the branches, shake them from side to side until most of the snow has fallen off. This action will prevent heavy snow loads from breaking branches.

The ground from two to three feet around your house may not be frozen due to the heat the house generates. This heat can also dry out the soil. If and when Mother Nature provides a warmer-than-normal December day, take a moment to water evergreens close to the house.

Check for water runoff from gutters onto landscape plants. Normal drainage from roof to gutter to downspout can be thrown completely out of kilter by snow and ice accumulations. Any abnormality should be corrected as soon as possible. Dripping water can coat plants and freeze when the temperature drops, damaging plants.

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Obituaries

Alvin Meyer

Alvin R. Meyer, 63, of Mitchell died at 10:40 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 13, 1995, at his residence, following an eight-month illness. He was born June 25, 1932, in Mitchell, where he had been a lifelong resident.

A carpenter in the construction business for 43 years prior to his retirement in 1993, he was a Korean War veteran and of the Protestant faith.

Mr. Meyer was a member of the American Legion Post 520 in Worden and Carpenters Local 1897 in Columbia. He attended local schools.

Survivors include his wife, Joan (Beyer) Meyer, whom he married April 15, 1953, in Granite City; two sons, Alan Meyer of Mitchell and Randall Meyer of Pontoon Beach; one daughter, Sandra Grant of Mitchell; one sister, Vera Whyers of Mitchell; and four grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Frederick L. Meyer, who died July 5, 1968, and Anna B. (Jones) Meyer, who died Feb. 15, 1986.

Services were Saturday at Thomas Memorial Mortuary in Granite City with the Rev. Scott Kroener officiating. Burial was in Wanda Cemetery in South Roxana.

Memorials are requested for the Hospice of Madison County.

Frank Duncan

Frank Duncan Jr., 76, of Granite City died at 11:17 a.m. Wednesday, Dec. 13, 1995, at Missouri Baptist Hospital in St. Louis, following a two-month illness. He was born March 20, 1919, in Indian Mound, Tenn., and had been a resident of Granite City since 1945.

A fireman with Norfolk and Western Railroad for 32 years prior to his retirement June 5, 1979, he was a member of the Granite City Four-square Church, United Transportation Union and the American Legion Post 307 in Venice.

Survivors include his wife, Melba (Potts) Duncan, whom he married Nov. 13, 1938; one son, Gordon Guyer of Granite City; three daughters, Ruth Jones of Dayton, Ohio, Beverly Guyer of Columbus, Ohio, and Dona Dolin of Granite City; one sister, Mary Benko of Granite City; seven grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Frank Duncan Sr. and Margaret (Gibbs) Duncan; and five brothers.

Visitation is from 4 to 8 p.m. today, Sunday, at Werner Chapel for Funerals, 3939 Lake Drive in Pontoon Beach, where services are at 10 a.m. Monday with the Rev. Eddie Linhart officiating. Burial will be in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates in Glen Carbon.

Willette Ash

Willette (Gibson) Ash, 65, of Centerville died Monday, Dec. 11, 1995, at Memorial Hospital in Belleville. She was born in St. Louis.

Survivors include three sons, Gregory Ash of East St. Louis and Keith and Kevin Ash, both of Centerville; four daughters, Donna and Allison Ash, both of Centerville, and Wendy and (See OBITUARIES, Page 8A)

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Medicaid worries: GOP plan a threat to nursing home care?

Mary "Liz" Hackethal of Rosewood Heights is worried that proposed federal Medicaid cuts will force her mother out of a nursing home. And nursing home critic Violette King of Godfrey worries that Medicaid cuts proposed by Republican congressional leaders will make what she sees as a staffing crisis in nursing homes even worse.

Hackethal and King were among the

participants in a Statehouse news conference Monday that included the American Association of Retired Persons and others. They charged that the GOP budget bill recently vetoed by President Clinton would result in as many as one in three Illinoisans who are eligible for long-term Medicaid care losing those benefits over the next seven years. Hackethal, 73, a retired Alton Mental Health

center staffer who said she lives on a fixed income, said she had no choice but to seek nursing home care for her mother six years ago when she wandered away from home and began having delusions.

Medicaid pays for her mother's intermediate care at Bethalto Care Center, Hackethal said. "She only became eligible after she got rid of everything she previously owned or saved; now she is completely destitute," Hackethal said. "With these cuts, my mother will have no place to go because my finances and poor health would not allow me to care for her."

King contended that instead of cutting federal funding for Medicaid, the way to help reduce the federal budget is to crack down more on Medicaid fraud. She said an anti-fraud

effort by the federal Health Care Financing Administration has reaped \$6 back for every \$1 spent on investigation.

The groups at the press conference cited a study by the Long Term Care Campaign on the potential impact of the proposed GOP caps on Medicaid increases.

AARP Illinois State Legislative Committee Member Steve Whitley of Charleston said the caps would cut normal growth by 18.7 percent or \$1.1 billion by 2002.

"Imposing the cap in 1996 could immediately force 3,500 Illinoisans out of nursing homes, community-based facilities for the disabled and other treatment centers — a number that could grow to 73,900 people over the next seven years," Whitley said.

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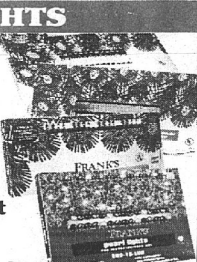


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Judge, Cueto, Venezia named in \$4 million suit

By Bonita Tillman
Staff writer

A St. Clair County judge, attorney and businessman were named in a \$4 million civil lawsuit filed in U.S. District Court by Bonds Robinson Jr., an employee of the Illinois Liquor Control Commission.

Robinson alleges in the suit that Associate Judge James M. Radcliffe, attorney Amiel Cueto and Thomas Venezia "conspired by intimidation and threat" to force him and his family to leave the state and hinder him from performing his job.

The suit, filed Nov. 22, was ordered sealed by U.S. District Judge William Stuehl until criminal charges against Venezia, his wife and former wife were complete. Venezia was convicted Dec. 2 in federal court on a variety of gambling-related charges.

Cueto said Friday he believes the suit is "groundless" because none of the allegations have any merit. The federal court is the wrong jurisdiction for the action, he added.

Radcliffe said he would issue his response in the courtroom, "not the press."

The suit also names Cueto as a principal of the Nineteen Sixty-Seven Corp., which publishes the *East Side Review*, and other members of the corporation.

Specifically, the suit alleges that the defendants violated Robinson's civil rights, made

libelous statements and filed malicious prosecution against him.

According to the suit, the conspiracy began during a September 1992 hearing before Radcliffe in which Venezia questioned Robinson's duties and alleged Robinson tried to get a bribe from Venezia. Cueto represented Venezia during the hearing.

Although Robinson was served notice on the spot to testify during the hearing, Radcliffe refused to allow him a continuance until he could return with an attorney, the suit says.

Radcliffe barred Robinson from threatening or coercing Venezia and his business, seeking bribes or seizing property from Venezia, the suit states.

That order was thrown out by the federal court on appeal. Radcliffe also was admonished for his actions by appellate court judges, who filed a complaint with the Illinois Supreme Court.

After that, the suit states, the *East Side Review* published articles that accused Robinson of criminal activity, including being a "self-admitted police car racer."

Robinson, who alleges he has suffered "great emotional distress" and that family members have been adversely affected, is seeking \$1 million in actual damages. He said his value as a government officer has been reduced.

He also is asking for \$3 million in punitive damages and court costs.

•Obituaries

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Deborah Ash, both of St. Louis; two brothers, Sherman Gibson of Venice and Donald Gibson of Columbus, Ohio; one sister, Flora Wren of St. Louis; and 17 grandchildren.

Services were Saturday at Galilee Central Baptist Church in East St. Louis, with the Rev. Albert Crockett officiating. Burial was in Sunset Gardens of Memory in Millstadt.

Arrangements were handled by Officer Funeral Home in East St. Louis.

James Hood

James Hood, 54, of Hot Springs, Ark., formerly of Granite City, died Friday, Dec. 15, 1995, at National Park Medical Center in Hot Springs.

He was born Oct. 4, 1941, in Granite City and had been a resident of Hot Springs for 10 years.

A maintenance painter, he had worked for the McDonnell Douglas Aircraft in St. Louis for 21 years.

Survivors include his wife, Donna Hood; three sons, Ricco Hood of Glen Carbon, Danny Hood of Jasper, Texas, and Scott Hood of Collinsville; three daughters, Tammy Hopkins and Melissa and Michelle Hood, all of Hot Springs; one brother, Domingo Valencia of Granite City; and 11 grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Claude and Mary (Vanderford) Hood.

Arrangements are pending with Mercer Mortuary, 1416 N. Washington Ave. in Granite City, 676-4321.

Mary Marchiando

Mary Roselle (Hayden) Marchiando, 82, of Collinsville died at 7:20 a.m. Friday, Dec. 15, 1995, at Maryville Manor in Maryville. She was born Jan. 1, 1913, in Fancy Farm, Ky.

A homemaker, she attended St. Peter and Paul Catholic Church in Collinsville, where she was a member of the Booster Club.

Survivors include two daughters, Marilyn Kramer of Collinsville and Barbara Horries of Eureka, Mo.; four sisters, Margaret Fulton and Gladys Moezel, both of Collinsville; Frances Harmon of Granite City and Theresa Easter of Arvada, Colo.; and three grandsons.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Joseph Marchiando, whom she married Oct. 31, 1936; her parents, Samuel H. and Lela Adele (Ballard) Hayden; and one brother, Joseph Royce Hayden.

Visitation is from 9 to 10:15 a.m. Monday at Paul Catholic Home, 501 W. Main St. in Collinsville.

Services are at 10:30 Monday at St. Peter and Paul Catholic Church, 207 Vandalla St. in Collinsville, with the Rev. Robert Morris officiating. Burial will be in St. Peter and Paul Catholic Cemetery in Collinsville.

Memorials are requested for the American Diabetes Association.

Patricia Herman

Patricia L. (Vincent) Herman, 55, of Granite City died Wednesday, Dec. 13, 1995, at a hospital in St. Louis. She was born Aug. 6, 1940, in St. Louis and had been a resident of Granite City for most of her life.

Mrs. Herman was a manager of the Trails End Campground in Granite City for many years.

Survivors include her husband, W.L. "Bill" Herman, whom she married May 18, 1981, in Bartlesville, Okla.; one son, William Lee Barton III of Centralia; one daughter, Linda Meadows of Horn Lake, Miss.; one stepson, Bill Herman of Granite City; one stepdaughter, Dottie Boyer of Granite City; one brother, David G. Vincent of Largo, Fla.; and seven grandchildren.


She was preceded in death by one daughter, Diane Lynn LaBruyere, who died Aug. 21, 1984; and her parents, Jesse David Vincent and Lillian Mabel (Schirmer) Vincent.

Services were Saturday at Newcomer-Diffenderfer Funeral Home in Topeka, Kan. Burial was in Memorial Park Cemetery in Topeka.

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• Charter

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"Regardless of what (Charter General Manager) Dave Miller says, most of the people in Granite City still do not receive The History Channel and The Sci-Fi Channel," said committee member Kim Affolter, referring to comments by Miller published in the Dec. 10 Granite City Journal.

Committee members discussed apparent violations of the contract Wednesday night. They will send a list of the complaints to City Attorney Leo Konzen for review before initiating formal communications with the company.

Among the complaints discussed Wednesday are: apparent failure by the company to notify the city and customers in writing 30 days prior to a \$1.38 rate increase that took effect three months ago; failure to provide monthly and annual reports to the city; the location of "prime" channels, like The History Channel and The Sci-Fi Channel, on frequency modulation (FM) frequencies while "marginal" channels, such as home shopping networks and weather stations, are located on prime frequencies; apparent failure to maintain community programming equipment; alleged failure to respond to service complaints within 24 hours; and problems with operations and maintenance, standards and reception.

Under its existing pact with Charter, the city receives about \$100,000 a year as a franchise fee.

Charter has proposed a monthly fee increase — this time on its installation charge. The \$5.31 increase, to take

effect Jan. 1, is to cover materials during installation, according to a rate card provided by Charter.

Two years ago, under the terms of the Cable Television Act, the city sought and approved licensing from the Federal Communications Commission to set cable television rates.

But if the city would reject any rate increase, the cable company has the right, under the terms of the law, to appeal the decision to the FCC.

Also two years ago, a number of municipalities in Madison County banded together to form a consortium to negotiate a new franchise agreement with Charter. The city decided not to participate in the consortium because of the expense, a lack of weighted representation in the group and the group's interest in rural versus urban cable needs.

The consortium has since reached an agreement with Charter covering participating municipalities.

Charter is seeking a quick close to contract negotiations because of a pending sale of the company, sources said.

The sale requires approval by municipalities that have franchise agreements with Charter.

School menus

Granite City Public Schools

Monday — Breakfast: Ham, eggs and cheese burrito with sliced peaches; lunch: Pizza, oven fries, mixed fruit cup.

Tuesday — Breakfast: Cinnamon toast, cup of pineapple; lunch: Baked zucchini, tossed salad with light dressing, dinner roll, gelatin with fruit.

Wednesday — Breakfast: Cooked oats, toast, fresh fruit; lunch: Toasted ravioli with meat sauce, cheese bread, mixed vegetables, fresh apple wedges.

Thursday — Breakfast: Cereal, toast, cup of raisins; lunch: Barbecued ham on bun, corn on the cob, cherry crisp.

Friday — Breakfast: Sausage and gravy, biscuit and jelly, sliced apples; lunch: Baked ham on bun, macaroni and cheese, peas, sliced peaches.

Madison Public Schools

Monday — Breakfast: Cereal, juice; lunch: Steak nuggets, fries, apple sauce, bread.

Tuesday — Breakfast: Pop Tarts, juice; lunch: Hamburger, gravy, whipped potatoes, corn, low-fat cake, bread.

Wednesday — Breakfast: Cereal, juice; lunch: Submarine sandwich with cheese, lettuce, tomato, pickle spears, fruit gelatin.

Thursday — Breakfast: Cereal, juice; lunch: Turkey, gravy, dressing, whipped potatoes, green beans, ice cream, bread.

Friday — Breakfast: Turnovers, juice; lunch: Tortillas and salsa, peanut butter sandwich, carrot and celery sticks, pineapple.

Venice Public Schools

Monday — Breakfast: Cheerios, toast; lunch: Pork and gravy, rice, mixed vegetables, fruit cocktail.

Tuesday — Breakfast: French toast sticks, raisins; lunch: Shells, spinach, apple cobbler, sliced bread.

Wednesday — Breakfast: Doughnuts, juice; lunch: Hot dogs, bun, fries, pineapple chunks.

Thursday — Breakfast: Waffles, bacon; lunch: Chili, crackers, peanut butter sandwich, apple crisp.

Friday — Breakfast: Pancakes, sausage patties; lunch: Fish fillet, spaghetti with meat sauce, cole slaw, sliced bread, cookies.

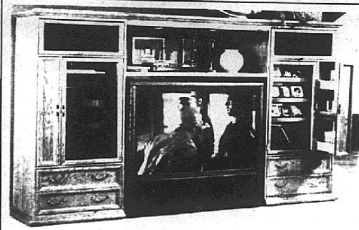
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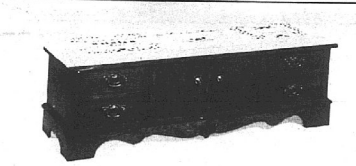
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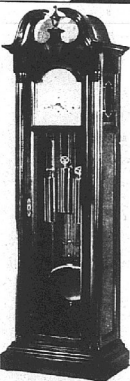


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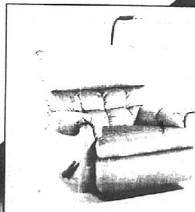
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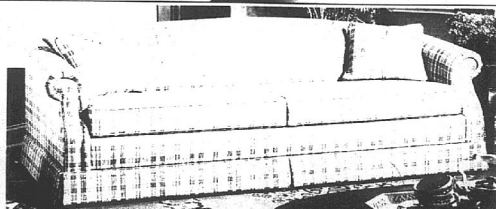
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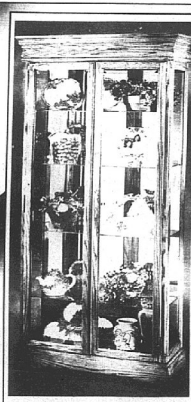
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a committee to preserve ambulance service. Among the possibilities being considered are creation of an ambulance district.

Committee chairman Marvin Ribbing said referendums to create the district will probably be approved and submitted to the county clerk's office within a week.

The ambulance district is being considered because of the difficulty in keeping an ambulance firm in the area to provide service.

Over the summer, LifeForce Paramedic Ambulance Service sent a letter to local officials saying it was pulling out of Madison County because the service was losing money.

The company later agreed to continue service, but company president Jere Wilmering said an ambulance district was the only way to guarantee continued service.

At Wednesday's meeting, Trustee Mike Macek said one of the problems the village faces is that it is served by five different fire districts — Long Lake, Mitchell, State Park Place, Collinsville and Glen Carbon — although most of the village is in the Long Lake district.

If the entire village could be included in a larger ambulance district, Macek said, he would have no problem with the village joining them, but if only part of the village was included, some residents could wind up without service.

If approved, Macek said, the village's tax would bring in an estimated \$56,000 per year.

As of this week, Macek said, the village had 217 ambulance calls this year.

"Most of these people are still going to pay," he said.

The tax money would be used to subsidize ambulance service. Residents and insurance companies would still pay for service, and the subsidy would cover those who would or could not.

Early in the discussion, Macek said if the ambulance committee also submitted a referendum that included only part of the village, the village should go to court to be kept out of it.

"We have to control our own destiny," he said.

Ribbing said he wanted committee members to meet with the village board to work out any potential problems.

"I would like to get all of us to sit down and discuss this," he said. "We've gone through the loss of an ambulance service so many times, we can't afford to screw up."

The trash question was also

heavily debated. It is being considered because of recycling mandates imposed on and by Madison County.

Village officials also said having a single trash hauler would save wear and tear on village streets.

In the past, the Pontoon Beach and Nameoki Township boards had both considered contracting for a single trash collector, but in November voters in the unincorporated sections of Nameoki Township overwhelmingly voted against a similar referendum.

The village has the authority to seek a single trash hauler,

and had prepared bid specifications earlier this year, but trustees said they wanted to know what residents wanted.

"We know we have the authority, but we want to ask the people if they want us to," Macek said.

The referendum asks if the village should contract with a single trash hauler.

Trustee Bob Able said people should have the right to decide who picks up their garbage.

Village Attorney Keith Jensen said residents could still have another firm pick up their trash.

"You would be paying for it regardless, but that doesn't

mean you couldn't have someone else pick up your trash — you'd just pay for it twice," he said.

Trustee Bob Vincent asked if voters should not also decide on whether the village uses a clean or dirty materials recovery center.

The difference is a clean MRF would require curbside recycling.

"If we're going to ask the question, we should ask the whole question," he said.

The board voted 5-1 in favor of submitting the referendum.

Vincent voted against it, saying it should be "made clear-

•License

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homes manufactured in 1993 or later, and that each must pass inspection.

In November, the board approved a business license for the park, but voted to reconsider after several people involved with the park were indicted for title transfer violations by a Madison County grand jury. Since then, park owner Ed Zeman has also been indicted.

In November Elizabeth Couch — the off-site manager of the park — was indicted on nine counts of title-transfer violations; she has since pleaded guilty to eight of those counts. Elaine Holmes, who sold and sublet mobile homes at the park, was indicted on 15 counts. A preliminary hearing had been postponed until late December because her attorney was not present.

Zeman was indicted on eight counts, and pleaded not guilty on Friday. Trial is tentatively scheduled to begin Jan. 8, with Circuit Judge Charles Romani Jr. presiding.

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•Song

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own," she said.

Radosh, a mother of four, said she now has the time to write the songs she never had time to put to paper before.

To date, she said, she has written 140 songs, including such children's tunes as "Kitty, Kitty" and "Peanut Butter." She said she wants to release an album of country-rock songs in the spring.

This holiday season, though, she wants the world to hear her song of Santa's sled catastrophe. She said she sent copies of her song to various radio stations in the St. Louis area.

"There are just a lot of things I want to do with this," she said. "I want to succeed now."

She's giving it plenty of exposure on her own, as well. She said the children at the House Springs Head Start figured she had a hit after she performed the song there last year, and she's scheduled appearances at the two children's hospitals in St. Louis.

And, of course, her family is behind her. "They just want to know how I did it and why I waited so long," she said. "My own family asked me to autograph it (a tape of the song). It feels pretty good. I just want the kids to hear it. The reaction has been overwhelming."

Radosh's song is not commercially available, but for a tape of it, call her at (314) 349-1878.

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chambers and other offices on the second floor handicapped accessible, but there were problems with tying the elevator into the existing building, and the cost was more than expected.

The council also discussed the 1995 tax levy, which must be approved by the end of the month.

The Finance Committee agreed to meet with Nightholmian Saturday afternoon, and the levy will be voted on at Tuesday's regular meeting.

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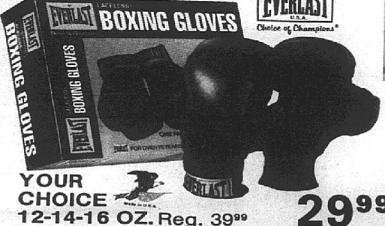


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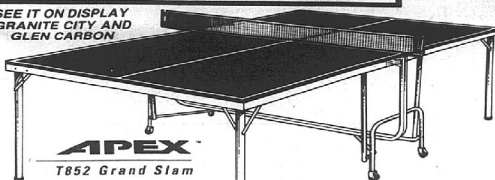
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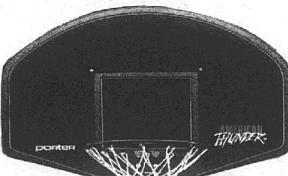


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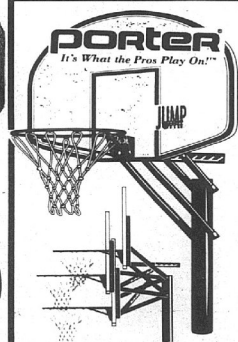
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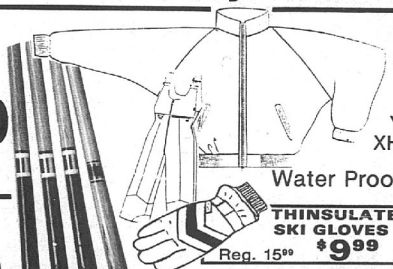
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Opening — Present at the grand opening of the Subway sandwich shop in the Oakmont Center on Pontoon Road in Pontoon Beach were, from left, Tri-Cities Chamber of Commerce Executive Vice-president R.C. Bush, owner Don Stuart, manager Weldon Tinnon, Pontoon Beach Mayor Glen Wilson and village trustees Randy Presswood and Jim Hill. The store joins Stuart's restaurant in Granite City as the second Subway in the Tri-Cities area.

Man arrested for sex abuse

A 23-year-old Bethalto man is in jail for allegedly fondling a 13-year-old Granite City girl in August and October. Michael S. Hard was arrested Dec. 4 and charged with aggravated criminal sexual abuse. Bond is \$50,000. The 13-year-old victim told police Hard approached her twice while she was in the shower — once in late August and once on Oct. 2. According to a police report, Hard was baby-sitting the victim at the time of the alleged incidents.

On both occasions, the victim said Hard fondled her breasts.

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Karen Boudreau and Steve DeMere, two Behavioral Health System associates at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, have received certification in their career fields.

DeMere, a chemical dependency therapist for the BHS dual diagnosis program, received certification as a drug and alcohol counselor from the state of Illinois.

When I was a clinical assistant, I worked with patients by the way of lectures and workshops, but not as closely as I can with this certification," said DeMere. "It allows me to have hands-on individual sessions with patients which is much more rewarding for me. The training was intense and demanding, but it helped my own personal development and growth."

DeMere is now working toward national certification. Boudreau recently received a national certificate for alcohol and drug addiction, which includes family and co-dependency treatment.

To be eligible for national certification, individuals must have eight years of experience in the field of substance abuse, have state certification, and pass a four-hour examination.

"I set a goal 10 years ago to go as far as I could with my certifications," Boudreau said. "It is important for me to treat alcohol and drug addiction not just as an illness but as a disease."

Boudreau has been an associate since 1987 and was first hired as a chemical dependency counselor.

Clark joins labor panel
Kathleen Clark of Spectrulte Consortium Inc. is a new member of the labor and management committee. Clark has been with Spectrulte Consortium as a manager of human resources since February 1995. Prior to joining Spectrulte, she worked for 15 years at Granite City Steel, with 10 of those years in various human resource positions.

Clark is a graduate of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville with a bachelor's degree in psychology. In addition, she has a master's of business administration from Webster University. From 1991 to 1993, she taught a labor and management relations class for the United Steel Workers of America's summer program.

Clark is a board member of the Coordinated Youth and Human Services Agency and Tri-Cities Area United Way. Since 1985, she has been a member of the Granite City Business and Professional Women and served on the executive board of the Gateway Chapter of the Industrial Relations Research Association. She is a resident of Granite City. Her husband, Terry, recently celebrated his 25th anniversary with GCS.

Remodeling of office completed

The certified public accounting firm of Tinkberg and Gundersen has announced completion of its recent expansion and remodeling of offices at 2122 Pontoon Road.

The firm expanded into the second floor of the building, adding five new offices and enlarging the conference room. The current offices were painted and wall paper added. Files from prior years, previously stored off site, are now available on the premises. Managing partner Charles Tinkberg served as speaker at the 1995 Users' Conference in Washington, D.C., sponsored by Creative Solutions Inc. He also attended seminars as part of the firm's commitment to continuing professional education.

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steal show
at Shootout

It may not happen, but there's a chance three of the four possible Illinois champions for boys and girls basketball for 1996 appeared at the annual December St. Louis Shootout at Kiel Auditorium.

By the time the last of a crowd of 15,379 departed from the 15th annual hoops festival, there was no disputing the skills of the Carlyle girls or the Shelbyville, Chicago Farragut, and possibly, the Springfield Lanphier boys.

Of the seven games orchestrated by Shootout designers Keith and Maggie Pickett of Columbia, the most positive comments heard by this veteran of all 15 Shootouts were related to Carlyle's 72-67 victory over Chicago Farragut, to Shelbyville's 76-65 upset of Booker T. Washington High of Tulsa, Okla., and to Farragut's 67-56 decision over St. Louis DeSmet.

Individually, as expected, all-state junior guard Courtney Smith — with 27 points, 16 rebounds and seven assists — led the Lady Indians past a team that had a 34-game winning streak, including the 98 Missouri Class 4A state title.

"In addition to her scoring and rebounding ability, she sees the floor very well," one press row wag said of the 5-foot-9 Smith.

Yet, hidden in the Carlyle stats were 14 points each of sophomore guard Kristin Hustedde and 10 senior Stacey Pollmann, who should help their team return to the state Class A finals.

For Shelbyville, a school of 437 enrollment, facing Booker T. Washington with 1,252 enrolled has meant mismatch. However, from a 34-33 halftime deficit, the Rams rallied as five different players netted 3-point field goals to end the defending Class 5A Oklahoma state champs' win streak at 28.

Prior to the game, BTW coach Nate Harris, aware of the big-school vs. little-school match, referred to not being able to play his starters through most games and by hoping no one would take exception to the Hornets' scoring too many points against Shelbyville.

After the game, Harris said: "In Oklahoma we play some teams as strong and as quick, but none with that many shooters."

Rick Beyers, a 6-8 junior, scored 11 of his 18 points in the second half, and was 2-of-4 from 3-point distance. Senior guard Kevin Herdes added 16 for the team that has been together since the sixth and seventh grades.

Coach Sean Taylor, though, had an interesting comment that seemed unbelievable for the Missouri press types when he said: "These kids still have not beaten a Mater Dei team in high school."

They also did not defeat all the teams they played during the summer, but one of those losses was by three points to Farragut in the Morris Shootout.

For Farragut, the second appearance in the Shootout — a year after being led by 6-11 Kevin Garnett, now of professional basketball fame — was a field of dreams.

The 6-foot-3 senior should lead the Admirals further than the Class 4A quarterfinals as evidenced by his 32-point outburst that included four 3-pointers and several sensational dunks.

Despite having a slightly pulled thigh muscle, Fields terminated in a fashion that had him recalling Oscar Robertson's performance years ago in a game against St. Louis U.

OVERTIME: Of five Illinois teams in the Shootout, only Centralia in a 78-76 loss to Shadow Mountain (Ariz.) suffered defeat. Springfield Lanphier gained a 67-63 triumph over St. Louis Vashon with 6-4 Jeff Walker getting 24 points and 6-7 Vuerd getting 23. Chukwudebe adding 23 for the winners who could challenge Farragut in Illinois Class AA.

Lancers' big fourth quarter
wears down Warriors, 81-60By Rob Raphael
Staff writer

The Belleville East Lancers scored 29 points in the final quarter, surviving a spirited Granite City Warrior effort and winning the Southwestern Conference battle 81-60 Friday night at Memorial Gymnasium in Granite City.

The Warriors (0-4, 0-2) turned up the defense in the third quarter, and trailed by only four points (40-44) with a minute left in the period. Clint Sizemore scored 11 of his game-high 26 points in the third to keep East (4-1, 1-0) ahead.

Then in the fourth quarter, Granite City seemed to run out of gas against the Lancers, and East kept their fast-paced floor game in high gear to pull away at the end.

Josh Heiberg scored 10 of his 18 points in the fourth quarter, and Lance Barnes added six of his 16 points in the final stanza.

Jay Simpson led the Granite City effort with 22 points and five assists, while Bobby Ellis added 14 points.

"It was so much that we played badly, I just think

Belleville East 81, Granite City 60		2nd	3rd	4th	FT	Pts
EAST		18	17	17	10	62
Clint Sizemore		10	10	6	10	36
Josh Heiberg		4	4	2	0	10
Lance Barnes		4	4	2	0	10
Nate Frisbie		4	4	2	0	10
Mike Turner		4	4	2	0	10
Buddy Dye		4	4	2	0	10
Wes Kennedy		4	4	2	0	10
Don Oliver		4	4	2	0	10
Tony		4	4	2	0	10
GRANITE CITY		18	17	17	10	60
Jeff Simpson		10	10	6	10	36
Bobby Ellis		4	4	2	0	10
Dan Brewer		4	4	2	0	10
Ray Smith		4	4	2	0	10
Carl Wallis		4	4	2	0	10
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Rebounds — East 28 (Sizemore 8, Barnes 7, Frisbie 4, Dye 3, Kennedy 2, Turner 2, Simpson 4, Smith 2, Wallis 2, Logan 2, Turk 2, Tony 2). Granite City 27 (Simpson 7, Ellis 6, Barnes 4, Frisbie 4, Turner 2, Dye 2, Todd 2, Dye 2, Logan 2, Turk 2, Tony 2). Shots — East 28 (Sizemore 8, Barnes 7, Frisbie 4, Dye 3, Kennedy 2, Turner 2, Simpson 4, Smith 2, Wallis 2, Logan 2, Turk 2, Tony 2). Granite City 27 (Simpson 7, Ellis 6, Barnes 4, Frisbie 4, Turner 2, Dye 2, Todd 2, Dye 2, Logan 2, Turk 2, Tony 2). Free Throws — East 14 (Dye 2, Barnes 2, Turner 2, Simpson 2, Logan 2, Turk 2, Tony 2). Granite City 10 (Simpson 2, Barnes 2, Frisbie 2, Turner 2, Logan 2, Turk 2, Tony 2).

Granite City stepped it up a notch and outlasted us," said Lancers coach Doug McCrary. "They have a habit of playing us that way. Our defense did step back a little, but they just dictated the play to us there for a while."

"They just come at you with

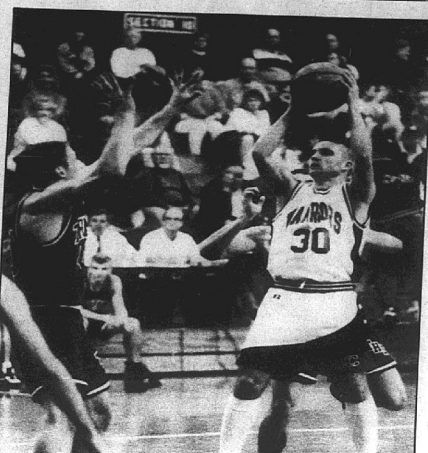
so many guys — eight, nine, 10 of them," said Warriors coach John Van Buskirk. "With (Kyle) Briggs hurt, and then with (Steve) Logan fouled out, we were just too short-handed. This is the best team we've played so far. It's hard to catch up to a team that plays such an up-tempo game."

But when the Lancers needed big baskets in the second half, Sizemore seemed to be the man. Meanwhile, Simpson had 16 points at the half, and hit more big baskets in the second half to keep the Warriors close.

"Clint has always been that way, ever since I've known him," McCrary said. "He is a clutch player, and a confident player. He can put the ball in the hole."

"Jay really stepped up his game tonight," Van Buskirk said. "With our guard problems, he was forced into a position he's not used to playing. He had a good shooting eye, but most importantly he took the ball to the hole and made some nice shots and he dished off to his teammates well. We needed to do more of

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(Staff photo by JOHN FRESSE) Granite City's Jay Simpson had a team-high 22 points against Belleville East.

Bear Foot on the Beach
Pontoon monster truck racer builds, raises beastsBy Rob Raphael
Staff writer

The St. Louis area's most successful Ram is right here in the Granite City area.

Forget the football Rams — this Ram wins nearly all the time. It's the Ram created, built and designed by Fred Shafer, a 10,000-pound, 10-foot tall Magnum-powered 1996 Dodge Ram pickup truck, and its name is Bear Foot.

Shafer, 48, is the brains behind what is considered the fastest monster truck in the world. Shafer now has five Bear Foots racing around the United States, and he personally makes about 30 appearances a year in his truck. Shafer picked up another win last weekend when he won the monster-truck competition in Indianapolis, Ind.

The Bear Foot team has also won three monster-truck racing world championships, including back-to-back titles in 1992-93.

Shafer lives and builds his trucks in Pontoon Beach, on his 10-acre farm off of Illinois 111. Also on his farm are a bevy of animals, including the two reasons the truck has its distinctive name.

"I'm a big nature lover," Shafer said. "I have lots of different animals on my farm, but my favorites are my two bears, Sugar and Spice."

Sugar and Spice are the inspiration for "Bear Foot", and Spice, the male black bear, is nearly as big as his namesake — 7-feet tall and weighing nearly 550 pounds.

Shafer began his racing career on the drag strips of the St. Louis area, where he began racing when he was only a teenager. After 15 years of that, Shafer decided to try what was then a fledgling sport, when he souped up his 1977 Chevy pickup.

"I wanted to put the same technology that went into the dragsters and incorporate it into the pickup trucks," said Shafer.

After he made the switch to Dodge a few years later, he was Chrysler's choice to be a part of the big introduction of the new Ram pickups four years ago. The rest is history.

Shafer was pleased to report that himself included — will make their first stadium appearance in 12 years in St. Louis when they come to the TWA Dome on Jan. 6.

"We'll try to get some rubber marks in there, to break it in right," he said.

The monster trucks appeared at the St. Louis Arena several times, and last year made their first stop at the Kiel Center, but Shafer said those type of hockey arenas are too small.

And when Shafer gets a chance he'll take time to do his most important job.

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(Staff photo by JOHN FRESSE) Fred Shafer feeds Spice an egg as a treat. Spice woke up briefly from hibernation. Spice and his companion, Sugar, are the inspiration for "Bear Foot", and Spice, the male black bear, is nearly as big as his namesake — 7-feet tall and weighing nearly 550 pounds.

Defense holds at 2.11 goals-against average

By Rob Raphael
Staff writer

In the nine Mid-States Hockey Association games the Granite City Warriors have played, they have outscored their opponents 68-19.

When analyzing the reasons for Granite City's perfect 9-0 record, it's easy to look at the explosive Warrior offense, averaging 7.55 goals per game. But just as impressive is the team's goals-against average — 2.11.

The Warriors have received good goaltending from Tony

Evans (6-0, 2.11) and Jim Conrad (3-0, 2.10), but the shots have been for the most part few and far between. The real difference has been the solid Warrior defense.

Anchored by captain Chris Angle and alternate captain Brian Johnson, Granite City can do it all from the back line. The Warrior defense can score, or it can pound you into the boards. It can jump up to join the play, or it can stay at home.

The defense may have played its best game last Monday when the Warriors shut out Hazelwood 8-0.

"The defense is playing so much better," said Warrior coach Dave Yurkovich. "Angle, Johnson and (Travis) Scroggins have done very well all season, and now (Lenny) Wilson (hooky) Scott and (Jared) Brown have all stepped it up, and we're really beginning to shut down the other teams."

TWO WEEKS AGO, the Warriors actually let Marquette outshoot them in a game — the only time it's happened this season. The defense quickly responded with a dominating effort in the next game against Hazelwood.

"We talked about what we did wrong in that game," said Yurkovich, "so they made sure nobody was going to come across that blue line very easily. Any time they'd string a couple of passes together, we'd meet them at the blue line, and they'd stop right there."

Angle is leading all defense-



(Staff photo by JOHN FRESSE)

Warrior Mikal Guffig (17) charges down the ice. Granite City averages an impressive 7.55 goals per game and has a 9-0 record in Mid-States Hockey Association action.

men in scoring, with eight goals and six assists. Johnson is second, with one goal and eight assists. Scott has chipped in with a goal and four assists. Scroggins has a goal and an assist and Brown has added an assist from the back line.

"Game in and game out, I know I've got a group of guys that's going to give 100 percent," Yurkovich said. "Even the guys that maybe haven't done a lot of scoring — they still do other things which don't show up on the score sheet. They deserve a lot of credit as well."

Angle, Johnson and Scroggins are the veteran defensemen, and together they see a large chunk of the ice time. Meanwhile, Brown, Wilson and Scott are learning their trade from the veterans.

"THESE ARE JUST freshmen," said Yurkovich of the younger three. "But already, they're picking up the good habits from the older players. They are gaining more and more confidence all the time. I know when I send them they'll go out there and take control."

Yurkovich gives most of the (See DEFENSE, Page 3B)

IBCA inducts
new membersBy Brian Bretsch
Staff writer

Some local coaches, athletes and teams will be recognized by the Illinois Basketball Coaches Association Hall of Fame induction at Illinois State University in April.

A total of 20 players, 11 coaches, seven officials, 17 friends of basketball, four news media personnel and seven teams will be inducted by the IBCA on April 27.

Local teams to be inducted into the Hall are the 1977 and 1981 Madison Class A state championship teams. The teams were coached by Larry Graham.

"IT'S SATISFYING," said Graham, who now coaching at Oakville High in St. Louis. "Exciting might not be the right word but it's satisfying. We were really together as a team in those days."

The 1977 Trojans team spanned Aurora Central Catholic 71-55 in the championship game. Randall Jones, a 6-foot-3 senior, scored 90 points in four tournament games for Madison. He was named to the all-tournament team. Other key members of the team were Rodney Davis, Anthony King, Clayton Harris and Ron Williams. The Trojans finished the year with a 29-3 mark.

"It was a pretty complete team," Graham said. "Randall was really effective inside. King was a great point guard. He made a lot of key plays for

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12-0 Warriors pin Belleville West 48-7

By Rob Raphael
Staff writer

As far as Steve Garland is concerned, his brother Mike and the rest of the Granite City Warriors will always have the advantage over the Belleville West Maroons.

Steve Garland, coach of the Maroons, said he was a little disappointed his team didn't fare better against the Warriors when the two teams met on the mat Thursday night at Memorial Gymnasium in Granite City.

GRANITE CITY DEFEATED Belleville West 48-7 to run its record to a perfect 12-0. West fell to 3-2 on the year, with its only losses to the Warriors (ranked No. 1 in Illinois) and Civic Memorial (ranked No. 9).

"It was a bit of a disappointment that we didn't put up a better fight," said Steve Garland. "I thought we'd do a better job, but I did have a lot of younger wrestlers out there, and I think some of them might have got a little intimidated."

Granite City had its share of younger wrestlers as well, but Garland said young wrestlers in Granite City and Belleville are very different.

"WHEN I PUT A FRESHMAN out there, he's been wrestling for less than a year. When Mike puts one out there, he's been wrestling for five years. They have such good feeder programs, there's no way we can compete with that here."

Adam Dunnivant got things started for the Warriors with a 100 decision over West's Ryan Tyler. Dunnivant improved to 9-3 overall with the win.

John Kelly and Bobby Chaulsett also sped to easy wins. Kelly outpointed Devin Bernard of West 14-6 at 112 pounds, and Chaulsett remained unbeaten on the year when he shut out Eric Baltz 6-0. Chaulsett (119) is one of only three Warriors who are 12-0.

Myke Glover of Granite City fell to the Maroons' David Yoshida by an 8-2 score, but Kevin Feigenbutz (130) quickly turned the momentum back to the Warriors by stopping Brian Rakors 11-1. Feigenbutz is 11-1 on the season.

Jonas Janek won his 135-pound match by defeating Matt Schewe 6-3. Bobby Schrag was the only other Maroon to win a match, as he Brooks Narvaez 13-5 at 140.

Jeff Estrada got things back on course for Granite City when he stuck Kurt Kurl of the 4-40 mark. It was Estrada's 12th win as well, with six wins coming by fall.

GRANITE CITY'S BIGGEST SURPRISE of the year so far, Jason Wilson, wrestled at 152 and won his 12th consecutive match when he pinned Doug Lopinot at 3:34. Wilson has won



(Staff photo by JOHN FRESE)

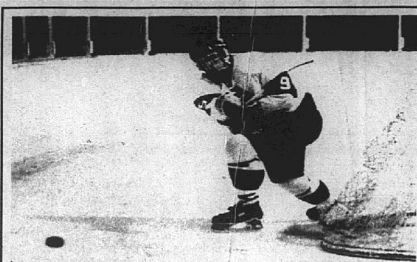
Chris Janek won his 10th straight match of the year Thursday when he beat one of the area's better heavyweights.

each of his matches this year by fall. Ike Newman (160) and John Venne (171) each pinned their opponent also. Newman took care of De Holloway in 51 seconds, and Venne dropped Kevin Foster in 2:56.

GETTING BACK IN THE WARRIOR LINEUP, John Sellers (189) got by John Carpenter 5-3, and Chris Janek won his 10th straight match of the year when he beat one of the area's better heavyweights — B.J. Bertelsman of West. However, news was made when Bertelsman became the first wrestler to go six minutes with the 275-pounder rated first in the state.

Garland said his team has some new younger faces, and is also missing a couple of its upperclassmen. But he was giving no excuses.

"They're just a great team," he said of the Warriors. "We could of done a better job, but we're still in line for a good season."



(Staff photo by JOHN FRESE)

Veteran defenseman Chris Angle knocks one away from the goal.

•Defense

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defensive coaching credit to his assistant, Will Connolly.

"Will's teaching them to play smart, and that's the important thing. We have some guys who can bang some bodies, but guys like Scott and Wilson are smaller guys. They have to play smart; don't expend a lot of energy, and just tie a guy up and take him out of the play."

NO DOUBT, THE PERSON on defense that gets the fans fired up is Scroggins, who does an "effective job of making his presence felt," according to Yurkovich.

In other words, Scroggins loves to use his body. With Scroggins on defense and Aaron Reeves on offense, the Warriors have the size and strength to play it any way other teams see fit.

"Those two set the tempo," said Yurkovich. "They really get us going."

Sports shorts

GC Soccer banquet
The Granite City Soccer Alumni Banquet will be held Saturday, Dec. 23 at the Elks Lodge on Maryville Road in Granite City. The banquet is open to all alumni members, family and friends. Doors open at 6 p.m.

Tickets for the banquet are \$10, and can be purchased at Sheridan Drugs, The Medicine Shoppe and Jim's Cuts & Styles, or by calling 452-7836 or 876-1409. Tickets must be reserved by Dec. 20, and will not be available at the door.

CYC volleyball signups
Tryouts for two under-14 girls' volleyball teams will be held 7-9 p.m. Monday, Dec. 18 in the Barrington Elementary School gym, located at 15600 Halls Ferry Road in North St. Louis County.

Girls playing other select sports are encouraged to try out. A parent must be present, and the fee is \$5. Call 314-821-8219.

New Year's scramble
Arlington Golf Course is holding a New Year's Day Chili Scramble on Jan. 1, 1996. The scramble format will be A-B-C-D player type for four-person teams.

The cost is \$40, which includes 18 holes of golf, cart, food and drink, plus cash prizes. To sign up now, call 1-800-388-3232.

FCA volleyball clinic
The Greater St. Louis Area Fellowship of Christian Athletes will hold its 1996 volleyball coaches clinic Jan. 6 at a site to be announced. Clinicians include: Belleville Area College coach Lisa Kowalski, Jefferson College coach Jo Ellen Stringer, Sue Kelly (Liberty University, St. Louis University, FCA staff) and Karen Hopkins (Illinois).

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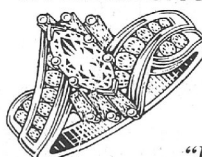
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•Warriors

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It looked like a possible Lancer rout in the first quarter, when the Warriors were 0-for-4 from the field and the Lancers had a 6-0 lead. When Eric Greene drove through the lane and laid in two, it was 19-10 after one.

The Warriors stayed close in the second as Simpson heated up. The 5-11 senior was 4-for-4 from the field in the quarter, including a pair of 3-pointers. On the other end, Lance Barnes was counting for the Lancers, as he hit a pair of 3's and scored eight points in the quarter.

In the third quarter, Logan fouled out early, but instead of letting down the Warriors picked it up. Cold shooting by the Lancers and a 3-pointer by Ray Smith — playing his first game for the Warriors — hit a trey to cut the lead to seven at 39-32. Simpson fed Jeff Wallis under the basket, and McCrary called a timeout with his team up just 44-40.

The Warriors got to within four again in the period, but Sizter hit the clutch buckets that kept the Lancers up by seven going into the final frame.

East pulled off a lightning-fast 14-0 run in the period. Nate Frisbee hit a pair of jumpers, and Helbig made two free throws to make it 62-49 with just 2:40 gone in the quarter.

Barnes hit a couple of baskets to make it 70-49, giving East their first 21-point lead. Later, Sizter capped the night off when he fed Helbig with a brilliant no-look pass for an easy bucket that gave the Lancers their biggest lead of the night at 76-53.

"Our kids played great in the third quarter, about as well as we can play basketball. But we couldn't sustain that," Van Bunkirk said. "They found our weaknesses and just put us away."

"We're still trying to put four quarters of good basketball together," McCrary said.



Hot game, cool cash — Bob and Dawn Steen, right, owners of Dairy Queen, 3901 Pontoon Rd., present Ray Hoffman, park district recreation supervisor, with a check for \$1,000 as the new sponsor of the Granite City Park District Youth Basketball program. The Park District's Dairy Queen program is underway, and will run through March 9. Games and practice sessions are held at the Coolidge Jr High School gym each Saturday Morning 9 a.m. to noon. The program provides basketball instruction to boys and girls 3rd through 6th grades. Participants receive a free T-shirt, and may register at the Wilson Park office any time during normal business hours. The cost is \$12 for park district residents and \$20 for non-residents.

•Shafer

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Shafer is a national spokesman for Racing Against Drugs, a country-wide campaign against the use of drugs set up by the FBI and the NHRA, AMA and NASCAR racing organizations.

When he travels to compete, he always tries to find the time to visit a local school or other place where he can speak to early teenagers. And he brings Bear Foot.

"We're shooting for fifth, sixth and seventh graders mostly," he said. "That's the age where we need to start making them aware of the dangers of using drugs."

"A lot of times, the kids idolize sports figures, and when we can bring something like Bear Foot along that really gets their attention, we have a chance to get through to them. I guess a three-time racing champion can sometimes get through better than a principal or FBI agent."

Shafer says he is a non-smoker, non-drinker, and an all-around health nut. He is also a newsworthy.

On Dec. 10, Shafer wed the former Cathy Smart, originally from Mitchell. The ceremony took place in Las Vegas. The two have already settled in on their farm.

"MY WIFE AND I BOTH work out at the Hard Body gym, and we eat right. Overall, I just want to get the message out that the kids need to give their dreams a chance. Just say 'no' to drugs."

He said he is in the planning stages now of visiting a few schools here in the Granite City area, possibly next spring. Shafer can't be at every school, but he also distributes posters with the same anti-drug message.

"I've got a good job," he said. "I get to travel everywhere."

•IBCA

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us. We had a player named "Hot Rod" (Davis) who could shoot."

Four years later the Trojans returned to take another state title. In 1981, Madison slipped past Dunlap, 58-47 in the title game. Morris finished a 6-foot-2 senior, scored 75 points in four tournament games. Huges was named to the all-tournament team. Other key members of the team were Pat Hatter, Mark Zarr, Kerwin Stanley and Charles Claggett, the older brother of former Venice and St. Louis University standout Erwin Claggett. Madison finished the year with a 30-2 record.

"We were experienced. It was a very good team," Graham said of the '81 squad. We had everything it took. We had size with Mark Zarr. Pat Hatter and Huges were stars. We had a great point guard. Charles Claggett was a great shooter. He had 30 points against Lovejoy in the Regionals. At the time it was real hard to get out of the regionals. Lovejoy had that 7-foot kid."

LOCAL PLAYERS named to the Hall were both from Edwardsville. Jim Marks and LeRoy Wheat.

Marks, a 1944 graduate of EHS, was a four-year starter for the Tigers. He was a member of the Tigers team that finished the season ranked 14th in the state. Marks went on to play his collegiate ball at the University of Illinois where he started his junior and senior year.

Wheat was a 1948 graduate of EHS. Wheat was a four-year starter for the Tigers. After graduation he played basketball and baseball at Northeast Missouri State University. He would go to play five years in the major leagues with the Cleveland Indians and Kansas City Athletics.

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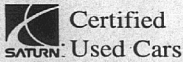
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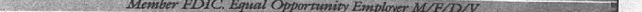
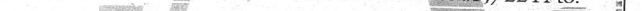
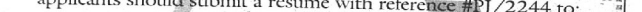
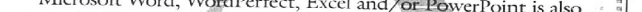
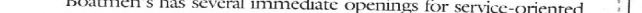
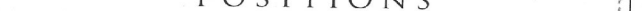
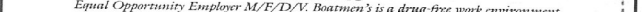
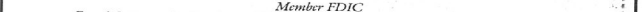
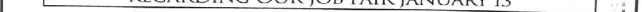
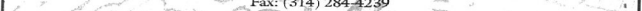


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ARIES (March 21-April 19): Your usual frantic pace is impossible to maintain — take some time to rest and revive this afternoon. You commit to a major purchase. Your spouse or lover wants to be romantic. Be hospitable to a neighbor or guest.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Your lover rescues you in the nick of time today. Avoid treading on the toes of a super-sensitive friend or colleague. Spare no expense in your quest for a gift. A creative project could use a change of personnel.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21): Escape from the daily grind with your lover today. Outdoor activities are relaxing and invigorating. Your financial picture improves when you receive a refund. Avoid making a joke at a relative's expense.

CANCER (June 22-July 22): Close friends insist on paying your way when they are hosting you. You are exposed to a culture or art form that is quite new to you. Your spouse or lover benefits from some time alone. Get some studying done tonight.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Show off a recent acquisition to an old friend. Your spouse or partner requests your help on a domestic project. Seeing co-workers socially improves the dynamic between you at work. Luck involves money and games tonight.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Dec. 17): Keep within the financial boundaries you have established for yourself, and your business plan will prove to be extremely successful by January of February. You are reunited with a loved one in April or May.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): A romance that must be kept under wraps may be forcing you into an awkward position — consider it carefully. You pay off the remainder of a debt. Conquer your shyness enough to meet some new people. Be tolerant.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23): You are in familiar territory once again. Avoid agonizing over a failed experiment — simply put it behind you. A love interest is eager for a rendezvous. Calculate the financial implications of a move.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21): You are able to relax fully when you spend some time by yourself today. Your spouse or lover is pursuing a new friendship — he or she is not being taken away from you. A shopping trip is lucky.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): A creative project is a blazing success. Family and friends prove to be loyal fans. You and your colleagues break even on an expensive undertaking. Your lover surprises you this evening. You gain an admirer.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): An old friend appears out of nowhere. Avoid contradicting instructions a child received from a relative. You are captivated by someone you meet through friends or at a club. Remember to make a deposit.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Introduce a friend to what is best of your nature. Avoid quarrels that involve money. Your spouse or lover is feeling under the weather and needs extra sympathy and concern. You are inspired by your colleagues.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Keep tinkering around with a project until you hit on the perfect combination. Employers or family members offer you a generous allowance. A love inter-grows less interesting as you get better acquainted.

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MTH 210	Analytic Geometry & Calculus I	4*
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CSI 345	The Structure of Operating Systems	3
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MKT 320	Personal Selling	3
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